GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

LABOUR AND MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT (LABOUR).

Labour Dispute.—Industrial Dispute between the workmen and the management of Doddasalvara Estate, Arehalli Post.

Award of the Industrial Tribunal, Bangalore—Published.

Read the following papers:—

(i) Letter No. IT No. 2358-9/66-67 dated 18th February 1967 from Sri A Panchaksharaiah, Presiding Officer, Industrial Tribunal, Bangalore.

BEFORE THE INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Dated .....

Present:

Sri A. Panchakshariah, B.A., (Hons.), LL.B., *Presiding Officer*.

I. D. No. 5 of 1966.

First Party.—

Workmen of Doddasalvara Estate, Arehally Post, Hassan District.

Vs.

Second Party.—

Management of Doddasalvara Estate, Arehally Post, Hassan District.

Appearances.

For I Party.—Sri M V. Bhaskar, Vice-President, Karnatak Provincial Plantation Workers' Union, Chickmagalur.

For II Party.—Sri H. K. Ramdas, Assistant Secretary Mysore State Plantation Owners' Association, Chickmagalur.

Reference.

G. O. No. LMA 557 LLD 65, Bangalore, dated 15th February 1966.

AWARD.

The Government of Mysore, in their Order No. LMA 557 LLD 65, dated 15th February 1966, have referred certain points of dispute for adjudication by this tribunal. The dispute is said to exist between the workmen and the Management of Doddasalvara Estate, Archalli Post, Hassan District and the dispute is in regard to Maternity benefit for the workers of the II Party. The Reference was registered as I. D. No 5 of 1966 on 17th February 1966. Notices were taken out to the I Party to file the Claim Statement, The I Party is represented by one M. V. Bhaskar, Vice-President, Karnatak Provincial Plantation Workers' Union, Chickmagalur. The I Party was served on 4th May 1966 but on that date the I Party did not file any claim statement. The I party was also absent and so too the Vice-President of the I party Union. The case was posted to 21st May 1966 Even on that date claim statement was not filed. However, in the meanwhile the II party filed a counter statement and a copy of the same was sent to the I party to file a Reply statement, if any. Reply was not filed by the I party. Inspite of several hearings none were present except on 10th October 1966 when the Vice president was present. He has signed the Order Sheet dated 10th October 1966 and he was directed to file the Reply to the Counter statement on 24th October 1966. On 24th October 1966 again the Vice-president was absent and nobody was present on behalf of the I party union. The II Party was represented by Sri M. V. Bhaskar. However the case was adjourned to 5th November 1966. The I Party did not file a reply statement even on that day. The case was finally taken up at my Chickmagalur camp on 13th February 1967. A Notice of this adjourned hearing was served on both the parties. Even on 13th February 1967 the Vice President was absent and none were present on behalf of the I Party Union. This gives me to understand that neither the Vice president nor any one on behalf of the I party Union is anxious to prosecute the case. Inspite of several adjournments the I party has not been ready at any time and it is not co-operating with the tribunal. The case is nearly a year old and the I party has not shown any anxiety to proceed with the case.

2. As none were present on behalf of the I party Union, not even the Vice-president. it has been placed *ex parte*, and in view of the fact that the I party is not anxious to proceed with the

Reference, the Reference fails for want of prosecution and the same is rejected.

3. In the circumstances of case, each party will bear its own costs.

A. PANCHAKSHARIAH,
Presiding Officer,
Industrial Tribunal.

ORDER.

Bangalore, dated 23th February 1967.

S. O. 675.—WHEREAS by State Government Order No. PLM 557 LLD 65, dated 15th February 1966, the Industrial Dispute between the Workmen and the Management of Doddasalvara Estate, Arehalli Post, Hassan District, was referred to the Industrial Tribunal, Bangalore for adjudication;

AND WHEREAS, the Industrial Tribunal, Bangalore has submitted to the State Government its award in respect of the said Industrial Dispute;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 17 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 (Central Act XIV of 1947), the Government of Mysore are pleased to direct the publication of the said award as above, in the *Mysore Gazette*.

[No. LMA 557 LLD 65.]

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Mysore,

3097 G. G. PUROHIT, *Under Secy.*,
to Govt. L&M Admn. Department.